

## TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

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## FRANCE.

## M. Guizot at Court.

PARIS, Dec. 1, 1899.  
It is reported that M. Guizot has audience with the Emperor every morning.

## Napoleon's Speech—English Reports of Its Effect.

LONDON, Dec. 1, 1899.  
The various Paris letters published in the morning papers to-day agree that the Emperor's speech on the opening of the Corps Legislatif "fell flat." The public mind is disappointed. The more the speech is considered the less it is liked.

## Parliamentary Presidency—The Democratic Agitation.

PARIS, Dec. 1, 1899.  
Mr. Schneider has been re-elected President of the Corps Legislatif. Approbations are entertained of disturbances on the anniversary of the death of Baudin.

## ENGLAND.

## The Peabody Funeral—Commercial Impacts.

LONDON, Dec. 1, 1899.  
It is now settled that her Majesty's ship Monarch, with the remains of the late George Peabody, will sail for America next Wednesday.

There is considerable agitation in commercial circles at Manchester and elsewhere relative to the increase of duty on French textiles.

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## GERMANY.

## The Burlingame-Chinese Mission in Berlin.

BERLIN, Dec. 1, 1899.  
Mr. Burlingame and the other members of the Chinese Embassy were received at the Foreign Office to-day. The American treaty will probably be the base of that with Prussia.

## RUSSIA.

## Cotton Interests in Asia—A Deputation to the Czar.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 1, 1899.  
A deputation waited on Prince Gortchakoff yesterday relative to establishing cotton fields and cotton seed in the Asiatic provinces. The deputation, in the Asiatic provinces of Russia, in order to be able to successfully compete with the United States. The Prince promised the scheme his support.

## TURKEY.

## Contraband of War.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 1, 1899.  
A steamer laden with gunpowder was seized in this harbor to-day on suspicion of being destined for insurgents in Bulgaria.

## PARAGUAY.

## Arrival of the Allied Army at San Estanislao.

LISBON, Dec. 1, 1899.  
Later advices from Paraguay state that the Count D'Eva, in his pursuit of President Lopez, had arrived at San Estanislao, lately occupied by the troops of Lopez.

## LOUISIANA.

## How Among the New Orleans Aldermen—Another Sugar Fraud Case Decided for the Government—Murder and Lynching.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1, 1899.  
The meeting of the Board of Assistant Aldermen last night terminated in a row.  
The Board of Aldermen have passed a resolution to employ three attorneys to keep the old members in and the Governor's appointees out.

The second of the Courthouse, Clason & Avies sugar fraud case was disposed of to-day by the United States court. A verdict for the government was given, and the sugar, amounting to 209 hogsheads and valued at \$45,000, was condemned. It was the cargo of the schooner G. H. Kennedy, which arrived during Perry Puller's administration and was 26,000 pounds under weight. Deputy Collector Harvey states that this was the first case on the part of the government. Another, involving 1,300 boxes, will be tried on Monday.

Sheriff G. M. Sturges was shot dead Saturday night at New Iberia by a negro. The murderer was soon afterwards captured and hung by the citizens.

## MASSACHUSETTS.

## Universalist Centenary Celebration in Boston—Sale of the East Boston Ferry—Nominations for Mayor.

BOSTON, Dec. 1, 1899.  
The Universalist centenary meeting was held in the School street church this evening, attracting a large audience. Richard Frothingham presided, and among the speakers were Israel Washburn, Jr., of Maine; Rev. E. C. Bots, of New York; and Rev. Dr. Miner, Thayer and Sawyer, of Boston.

Rev. John Dewitt was installed pastor of the Central Congregational church this evening. Dr. R. S. Storrs, Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y., presided at the service. At a democratic convention in this city this evening George A. Badwin was nominated for Mayor. Mr. Badwin is an alderman in the present City Council.

The citizens of Charlestown, irrespective of party, have nominated S. T. Sawyer for Mayor.

The boats belonging to the East Boston Ferry Company have been purchased by the city of Boston for \$275,000, possession to be taken the 1st of April next.

Mrs. Orilla Wood, of Springfield, was instantly killed this afternoon by falling down stairs. She was eighty years of age.

Mrs. Rowell Lee, daughter of Bishop Lee, of Iowa, and widow of a former commandant of the United States Army at Springfield, died yesterday.

## CUBA.

## Fresh Troops from Spain—The New American Consul General—Disposal of Prisoners—Exchange.

HAVANA, Dec. 1, 1899.  
A Spanish frigate arrived here to-day from Spain, bringing a battalion of troops for service in the island.

H. C. Hall, the newly appointed American Consul General in Havana, took possession of the United States consulate. The merchants of Havana are desirous that the appointment of Mr. Hall be permanent.

A detachment of prisoners were yesterday sent to Spain. Among them were Colonel Udaeta, who surrendered at Bayamo, and Adolfo Moliner, a wealthy planter.

Exchange—On London, 14 1/4; 1/4 per cent premium; on Paris, 1 1/2; 1/4 per cent premium; on United States, short sight, in gold, 5 1/2 per cent premium; 60 days' sight, in currency, 10 per cent discount.

## Resolutions of the South Carolina Legislature—Important Success of the Patriots at Cienfuegos.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1, 1899.  
A member of the Cuban Junta, now in this city, to-day received the following despatch, announcing the passage by the South Carolina Legislature of a resolution in favor of belligerent rights and recognition to the Cubans:—

Resolutions passed both branches of the General Assembly. Receive my warmest congratulations. R. B. KILPATRICK.

A letter was received to-day from Key West, Fla., representing that news had reached there from Cuba announcing that the revolutionists had surprised Cienfuegos, seized a large quantity of provisions, clothing and medicines, and then retired in good order. This was regarded as a sign of the increasing strength and boldness of the Cubans.

## Captured Spanish Correspondence—Views of Spanish Officers—The Rebellion Not to Be Suppressed—Opinions of Leading Statesmen.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 1, 1899.  
The Morning Post will print to-morrow a number of private letters written by Spanish officers in Cuba, which were captured near Cienfuegos and have been forwarded to the State Department. Their authenticity is undoubted. The writers agree that there is no prospect of suppressing the rebellion, and admit that the Cubans will fight to the last. Some of them declare that if the United States recognize Cuba the Spanish troops might as well be withdrawn. Others narrate the most dreadful cruelties of the Spaniards. The Post will also publish letters from Benjamin F. Wade, Roscoe Conkling, Simeon Cameron, John Hickman and others in favor of the Cuban cause. Mr. Wade declares that if the republic is afraid to recognize Cuba she shall cease to be proud of being an American citizen, and that this administration holds the destiny of the people and Cuba in its hands. Mr. Cameron promises to use every means to obtain the emancipation of Cuba from the Spanish yoke and hopefully expects to see it speedily realized.

## OHIO.

## Sale of the Cincinnati, Wilmington and Zanesville Railroad.

CINCINNATI, Dec. 1, 1899.  
The Cincinnati, Wilmington and Zanesville Railroad was sold to-day to satisfy European bond holders. Thomas L. Jewett, the president of the Pennsylvania Central road, is the purchaser. It is supposed for the Pennsylvania Central road.

## Billiard Tournament in Cincinnati.

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At the billiard tournament this afternoon Grunkemeyer made 500, averaging 10-4-8, and Cherry 471, averaging 9-5-4. At the exhibition play, of Chicago made 300 to Sisson's 253. Foley averaged 23-1-3 and Sisson 19-4-13.

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## THE MISSISSIPPI ELECTION.

## Meagre Returns—Probable Election of Alcorno.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 1, 1899.  
The election returns from Mississippi are very meagre. A special despatch from Holly Springs says:—Nothing definite has been received. Marshall county has probably gone for Alcorno. A despatch from Okolona says that county has gone for Alcorno by 150 majority. There has been no disturbance so far as known.

A Jackson despatch says:—The returns are very scant, but indicate Alcorno's election. The following counties gave majorities for Alcorno:—Yalobusha, a gain of 1,600 from last year; Hinds, 1,500; Monroe, 2,000; Lauderdale, Thibodaux and Lumbard, small majorities; Jefferson, 1,513—a gain of 500; Jackson, 629; Neshoba, 275; Wilkinson, 2,500; Adams, 2,500; Itankin, doubtful.

The following give majorities for Teal:—Tallahatchie, 700; Capitol, 150. The vote in the river counties was very small.

## THE PACIFIC COAST.

## Departure of Prince Sunnanna for New York—New Railroad Grant in Mexico—The Southern Pacific Railroad.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1, 1899.  
Prince Sunnanna, from Japan, and suite leave for the East to-day by railroad, with Mr. Bosman, of the firm of Koopmanschap & Co., of Hong Kong, who, at the request of the Japanese government, escorts the Prince to New York. Mr. Bosman visits the East to further the plans of Mr. Koopmanschap and provide Chinese laborers for the South.

It is stated that the Mexican government has granted to Mr. Samuel Brannan, of this city, a right to build a railroad across Mexico, from the Gulf of Mexico to the Pacific Ocean. This is done in recognition of his services to the liberal government during the late struggle.

The Pacific Union Express Company has been discontinued and its business has been transferred to Wells, Fargo & Co.

The stockholders of the San Diego, Glia and Southern Pacific and Atlantic Railroad Company met at San Diego November 27 and apportioned the stock of the Memphis, El Paso and Pacific Railroad among the San Diego stockholders.

The steamer Japan, for Hong Kong via Yokohama, sailed to-day. She carries 1,500 passengers, of whom are in the cabin, and \$500,000 in treasure for Hong Kong.

## ALABAMA.

## Election of a Colored Clerk in the House of Representatives—The Montgomery Municipal Election.

MONTGOMERY, Dec. 1, 1899.  
In the House to-day a colored man was elected Engraving Clerk. The democrats voted for him, against a white man. A large number of bills were reported from committees. A bill was passed to make it perjury to falsify take the oath of office. The bill concerning the action of Mobile towards the Grand Jury was also reported.

In the Senate the bill to incorporate the Southern States Telegraph Company was ordered to a third reading.

The city election takes place next Monday. It is the first since 1895. The registration will be finished to-morrow. About an equal number of blacks and whites are registered.

## THE RED RIVER REBELLION.

## Convention of the Insurgents at Fort Gary—Important Propositions for Discussion—Independence or Annexation.

TORONTO, Dec. 1, 1899.  
A special despatch from St. Paul says that the late Red River advice says the Convention was assembled at Fort Gary on November 16, to discuss the following propositions:—

First.—The compromise with Governor McDougall.

Second.—An independent republic.

Third.—Annexation to the United States.

Fourth.—A colony under Great Britain.

Fifth.—A return to the Hudson Bay Company's rule.

A special despatch from St. Paul says an arrival from Pembina brings a proclamation from Governor McDougall, warning the rebels against revolutionary action against the authority of her Majesty's government.

## THE ROBBERS' HARVEST.

## Robbery in Sixth Avenue.

About half-past six to-day evening a sneak thief, finding that Mr. M. Hager, dry goods merchant, on No. 433 Sixth avenue, had exposed goods in front of his store, stepped up to the place, when the attention of the employees were directed elsewhere, and stole a roll of damask valued at \$400. No clue was obtained as to the author of the robbery by the police, but detectives Eider and McCorr are on his track.

## Heavy Robbery in Madison Avenue—One Thousand Dollars Worth of Property Stolen.

Yesterday it was reported to the Central Police Office that between the hours of five and six o'clock P. M. on Tuesday the family of William C. Jordan, No. 304 Madison avenue, were at dinner, a sneak thief entered the house through a front window, unlocked the door, left open by the servant and stole the following:—One hundred and thirty dollars watch and chain, two diamond solitaire rings, one set of pearls and coral earrings, three gold brooches, one gold watch chain bracelet and four gold sleeve buttons of the total value of \$1,000. Captain Keelo's officers have not yet recovered the property, but detectives are on the scene.

## Jewelry Robbery in East Thirty-fourth Street—\$1,650 Lost.

Yesterday the particulars of a robbery at No. 3 East Thirty-fourth street were reported to the Central Police Office. From the statements of the victim it appears that one evening this week, between the hours of one and two o'clock, while the family were at lunch, the residence of Henry C. Thompson, No. 3 East Thirty-fourth street, was entered by sneak thieves, and the following articles stolen and carried away:—One diamond solitaire ring, valued at \$500; one pearl ring, with one very large stone, valued at \$300; one opal ring, valued at \$200; one set of cameo earrings and pin, with diamond setting, valued at \$300; and one diamond bracelet, valued at \$300—the whole of the value of \$1,650.

Notwithstanding that large rewards have been offered for the return of the stolen property, Captain Keelo's officers had made no arrests up to ten minutes after twelve o'clock this morning, when the inspector, detectives and doorman went to bed, and the robbery was left to the police.

The thieves and burglars, but from present appearances no important arrests will be made until after the character of the return of the stolen property.

Mr. Hager then